

Washington, D. C. 20505

20 March 1979

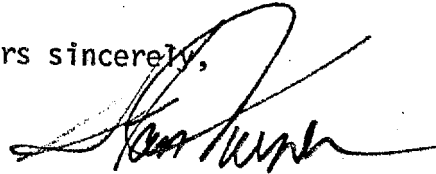
Dear General,

Thanks so much for inviting me to participate in the 1979 USMA Senior Conference.

As enticing as your Conference focus is, I am afraid that I have to decline your invitation. As you can appreciate, the demands of the job are keeping me close to Washington.

Please accept my sincere best wishes for a very successful gathering.

Yours sincerely,



STANSFIELD TURNER

Lt. General A. J. Goodpaster, U.S. Army  
Superintendent  
United States Military Academy  
West Point, New York 10996